

State of California  
Business, Transportation & Housing Agency  
Department of Transportation

ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS  
Approval of Project for Future  
Consideration of Funding  
7-LA-5 KP 44.2/45.2  
Action Item

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**APPROVAL OF PROJECT FOR FUTURE CONSIDERATION OF FUNDING**  
**ROUTE 5 IN LOS ANGELES COUNTY**

**RECOMMENDATION**

The Department of Transportation recommends that the California Transportation Commission, as a responsible agency, approve the attached Resolution E-01-12.

**SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS**

This resolution proposes to approve for future consideration of funding the following project for which a Negative Declaration has been completed:

- Route 5 in Los Angeles Ventura County– Modify the Western Avenue Interchange in the City of Glendale.

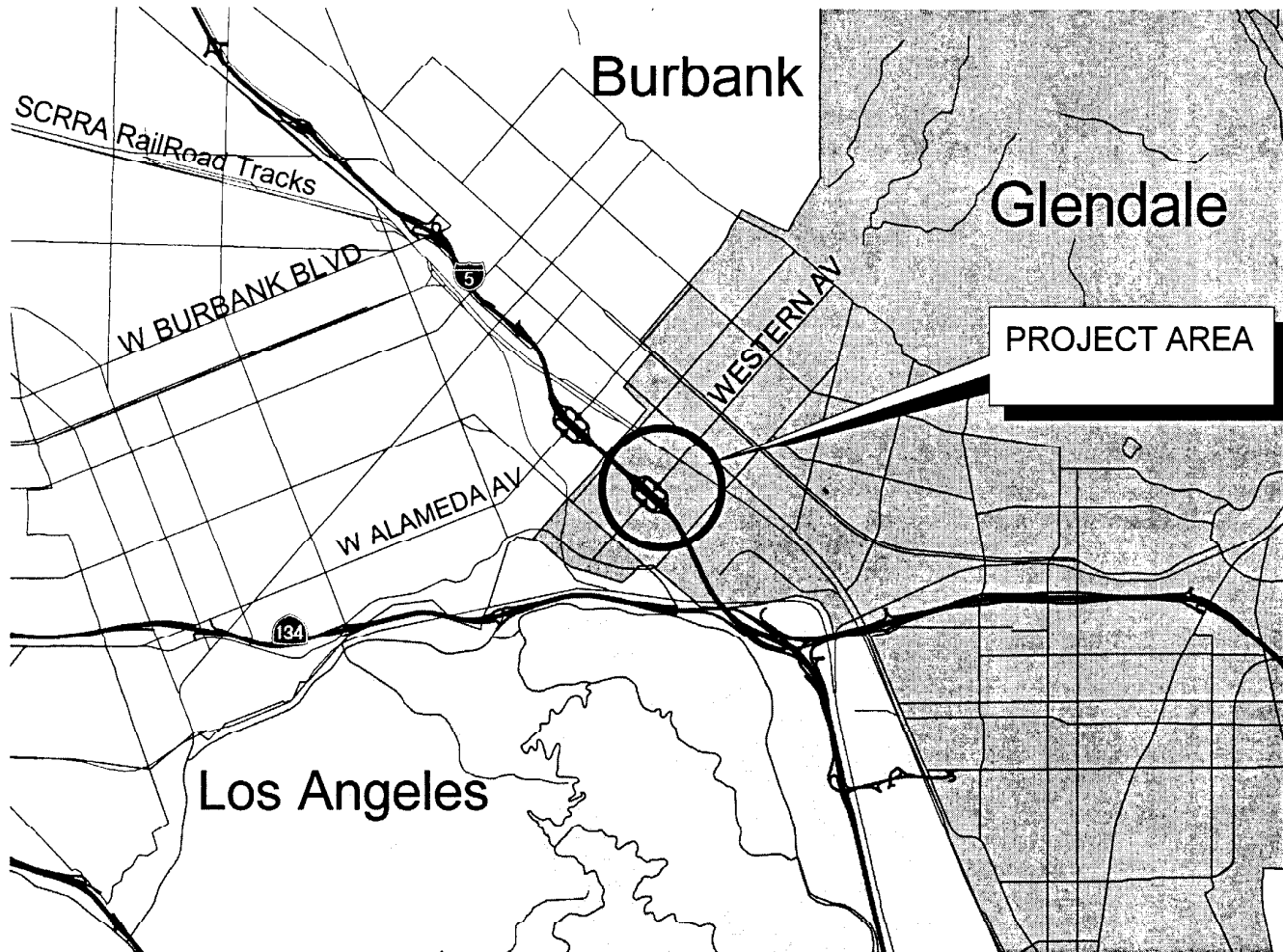
The project is programmed in the 1998 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) for construction in the 2002-03 fiscal year. The STIP currently includes \$4.7 million for capital and \$2.0 for support. An additional \$2.5 million for capital is proposed in the 2000 Interregional Transportation Improvement Program (ITIP) scheduled for approval at the December CTC meeting. The current estimate for the project on the state highway system is \$9.2 million.

The Negative Declaration and supporting Initial Study has been transmitted to Commission staff.

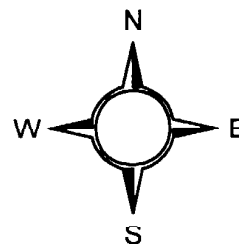
The Department has approved the project for construction. This approval and the resulting filing of the Notice of Determination with the Office of Planning and Research will satisfy the environmental requirements for this stage of the project planning process.

Attachment

# I-5/Western Avenue Access Project Location Map



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**CALIFORNIA TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

**Resolution for Approval of Project for Future Consideration of Funding  
7-LA-5 KP 44.2/45.2**

**Resolution E-01-12**

- 1.1 **WHEREAS**, the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has completed a Negative Declaration in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act, the CEQA Guidelines, and the California Transportation Commission Environmental Regulations for the following project:
  - Route 5 in Los Angeles County– Modify the Western Avenue Interchange in the City of Glendale.
- 1.2 **WHEREAS**, the California Transportation Commission, as a responsible agency, has considered the information contained in the Negative Declaration; and
- 1.3 **WHEREAS**, the project will not have a significant effect on the environment.
- 2.1 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the California Transportation Commission does hereby approve the above referenced project for future consideration of funding.